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212, as amended, on which the yeas and navs were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from New York (Mr. ACKERMAN) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 212, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 426, nays 0, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 906]

YEAS-426Clyburn Abercrombie Grijalva Coble Coffman (CO) Ackerman Guthrie Aderholt Gutierrez Adler (NJ) Hall (NY) Cohen Akin Alexander Cole Hall (TX) Conaway Halvorson Altmire Connolly (VA) Andrews Conyers Harman Arcuri Cooper Harper Austria Costa Hastings (FL) Baca Bachmann Costello Hastings (WA) Courtney Heinrich Bachus Crenshaw Heller Baird Crowley Hensarling Cuellar Baldwin Herger Herseth Sandlin Barrett (SC) Culberson Barrow Cummings Higgins Bartlett Dahlkemper Hill Barton (TX) Davis (AL) Himes Bean Davis (CA) Hinchev Becerra Davis (IL) Hinojosa Berklev Davis (KY) Hirono Berman Davis (TN) Hodes Deal (GA) Hoekstra Berry Biggert DeFazio Holden DeGette Bilbray Holt Bilirakis Delahunt Honda Bishop (GA) DeLauro Hoyer Bishop (NY) Dent Hunter Bishop (UT) Diaz-Balart, L. Blackburn Diaz-Balart, M. Inslee Blumenauer Dicks Israel Dingell Blunt Jackson (IL) Doggett Donnelly (IN) Boccieri Jackson-Lee Boehner Bonner Bono Mack Dreier Jenkins Johnson (GA) Driehaus Boozman Johnson (IL) Johnson, E. B. Duncan Boren Edwards (MD) Boswell Boucher Edwards (TX) Johnson, Sam Ehlers Boustany Jones Jordan (OH) Bovd Ellison Brady (PA) Ellsworth Kagen Kanjorski Brady (TX) Emerson Bralev (IA) Engel Kaptur Bright Eshoo Kennedy Broun (GA) Etheridge Kildee Kilpatrick (MI) Brown, Corrine Fallin Brown-Waite, Farr Kilroy Ginny Fattah Kind King (IA) Buchanan Filner Burgess Flake King (NY) Burton (IN) Fleming Kingston Butterfield Forbes Kirk Kirkpatrick (AZ) Fortenberry Buyer Calvert Foster Kissell. Camp Foxx Klein (FL) Campbell Frank (MA) Kline (MN) Cantor Franks (AZ) Kosmas Cao Frelinghuysen Kratovil Capito Fudge Kucinich Gallegly Capps Lamborn Capuano Garamendi Lance Cardoza Garrett (NJ) Langevin Carnahan Larsen (WA) Gerlach Carney Giffords Larson (CT) Carson (IN) Gingrey (GA) Latham LaTourette Cassidy Gohmert Castle Gonzalez Latta Lee (CA) Lee (NY) Castor (FL) Goodlatte Gordon (TN) Chaffetz Chandler Granger Levin Lewis (CA) Childers Graves Grayson Lewis (GA) Chu Clarke Green, Al Linder Clay Green, Gene Lipinski Griffith

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The title was amended so as to read: 'Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of historic events in Central and Eastern Europe, particularly the Velvet Revolution in Czechoslovakia, and reaffirming the bonds of friendship and cooperation between the United States and the Slovak Republic and the Czech Republic.".

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey. Mr. Speaker, Wednesday, November 18, 2009, due to illness, and at the advice of my doctor, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 896: Passage of H. Con Res. 214. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

Mr. Speaker, due to illness, and at the advice of my doctor, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 897: Motion on Ordering the Previous Question on the Rule for H.R. 3791. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

Mr. Speaker, due to illness, and at the advice of my doctor, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 898: Passage of H. Res. 909. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

Mr. Speaker, due to illness, and at the advice of my doctor, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 899: On agreeing to the Perlmutter (CO) Amendment. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

Mr. Speaker, due to illness, and at the advice of my doctor, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 900: On agreeing to the Flake (AZ) Amendment. Had I been present, I would have voted "no

Mr. Speaker, due to illness, and at the advice of my doctor, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 901: On Passage of H.R. 3791. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, November 19, 2009, due to my required participation in a classified national security meeting, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 905: On Passage of H.R. 2781. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

Mr. Speaker, due to my required participation in a classified national security meeting, I was unable to vote on rollcall No. 906: On Passage of H. Con. Res. 212. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

MEDICARE PHYSICIAN PAYMENT REFORM ACT OF 2009

Mr. WAXMAN. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 903, I call up the bill (H.R. 3961) to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to reform the Medicare SGR payment system for physicians, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SALAZAR). Pursuant to House Resolution 903, the bill is considered read.

The text of the bill is as follows:

H.R. 3961

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Medicare Physician Payment Reform Act of 2009".

SEC. 2. MEDICARE SUSTAINABLE GROWTH RATE REFORM.

(a) Transitional Update for 2010.—Section 1848(d) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395w-4(d)) is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

"(10) UPDATE FOR 2010.—The update to the single conversion factor established in paragraph (1)(C) for 2010 shall be the percentage increase in the MEI (as defined in section 1842(i)(3)) for that year.".